## **All Claims Ever Presented In Application**

- 1. (Previously presented) A kit for amplifying a target nucleic acid, said kit comprising:
- a. a container comprising a source of phosphate ions and a container comprising a source of magnesium ions, wherein combining the source of magnesium ions and the source of phosphate ions in accordance with instructions supplied in the Kit forms a precipitate at a temperature below 34°C; and
- b. instructions for using the source of phosphate ions and the source of magnesium ions in amplification of the target nucleic acid.
- 2. (Original) The kit of claim 1 wherein the source of phosphate ions is phosphoric acid and the source of magnesium ions is magnesium chloride.
- 3. (Original) The kit of claim 2 wherein said kit further comprises a container comprising a DNA polymerase.
- 4. (Previously presented) The kit of claim 3 wherein the DNA polymerase is TaqLA, KLENTAQ1 (Klentaq-278), KlentaqLA, Pfu, DEEP VENT (DNA polymerase available from New England Biolabs) or Tth.
- 5. (Original) The kit of claim 4 wherein said kit further comprises a container comprising deoxyribonucleoside triphosphates.
- 6. (Previously presented) The kit of claim 2 wherein said kit further comprises a container comprising a mixture of at least two DNA polymerases selected from the group consisting of TaqLA, KLENTAQ1 (Klentaq-278), KlentaqLA, Pfu, DEEP VENT (DNA polymerase available from New England Biolabs) or Tth.
- 7. (Original) The kit of claim 6 wherein said kit further comprises a container comprising deoxyribonucleoside triphosphates.
- 8. (Withdrawn) A kit for amplifying a target nucleic acid, said kit comprising:

- a. a container comprising a reagent comprising a precipitate comprising a magnesium salt; and
  - b. instructions for using the precipitate to amplify the target nucleic acid.
- 9. (Withdrawn) The kit of claim 8 wherein said kit further comprises a DNA polymerase.
- 10. (Withdrawn) The kit of claim 9 wherein said DNA polymerase is TaqLA, Klentaq1, KlentaqLA, Deep Vent or Tth.
- 11. (Withdrawn) The kit of claim 9 wherein said kit further comprises a container comprising deoxyribonucleoside triphosphates.
- 12. (Withdrawn) The kit of claim 8 wherein said kit further comprises a container comprising a mixture of at least two DNA polymerases selected from the group consisting of TaqLA, Klentaq1, KlentaqLA, Deep Vent or Tth.
- 13. (Withdrawn) The kit of claim 12 wherein said kit further comprises a container comprising deoxyribonucleoside triphosphates.
- 14. (Cancelled)